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Marketing and
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Washington, DC
20250

Please Note:

New vendors and subcontractors must supply all required paperwork (Appendix 1, Financial Statement, and 3 Reference Letters), and must register in the Online Representations and Certifications Application (ORCA). In addition, all Vendors must also be registered in the CCR, within 48 hours after bid opening or your company may be considered non-responsive.

This Invitation is for Small Business Set-Aside only; see FAR 52.219-6 Notice of Total Small Business Set-Aside.

FV-300

Fruit and Vegetable Programs

Date Issued: August 1, 2008

Canned Fruit, Announcement FV-300, Invitation 263

The Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell canned fruit as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in needy family and other domestic food assistance programs. Offers are due by **1 p.m., Central Time, Friday, August 15, 2008**. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, August 29, 2008. Deliveries are to be made from October 1, 2008 to December 31, 2008.

Offers are invited from the trade for:

Canned Applesauce	24/#300	158,760 cases
Canned Plums	24/#300	37,260 cases

No offers will be made to 8a vendors on this invitation.

All prime vendors are reminded that they are prohibited from subcontracting with companies or individuals that have been suspended or debarred.

All invitations with orders for the state of New York, must have the pack date stamped on the outside of each carton, The pack date should be annotated as per the following example: (05/01/2003). Orders for the state of New York requiring the special marking will be indicated by (). This applies to New York orders "Only," if and when they appear on an invitation.**

Bids must be submitted electronically via the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) on the Internet. Offerors who submit bids using other than DEBES, will be deemed non-responsive. Offeror must be assigned a Logon ID by USDA to access the site. The Internet address is: <http://pcsd.usda.gov/debes> which translates into a connection of <https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?> Once connected, follow the online procedures. A 'HELP' button provides detailed instructions for using the system or call 202-720-4517 for assistance.



Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Inquiries about Announcement FV-300, Appendix-1, the Commodity Specification for Canned Fruit dated April 2004, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0239, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, DC 20250-9410, telephone (202) 720-4517. An electronic version of this invitation can be obtained through the World Wide Web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

Purchases will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement FV-300, to the listed locations. Delivery by trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

Split shipments are indicated by single asterisk.

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 INVITATION : 263
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 COMM TYPE : 11 APPLESAUCE, CANNED
 PACK SIZE : 24 24/#300 CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/01/08 - 10/15/08					
001	ELMIRA	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	**
002	LATHAM	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	**
003	ROCHESTER	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	**
004	SYRACUSE	NY		3,240	**
005	NEWPORT NEWS	VA	TRUCK ONLY	420	
	NORFOLK	VA	TRUCK ONLY	1,200	
006	ATHENS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
007	MACON	GA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
008	ELIZABETHTOWN	KY	TRUCK ONLY	689	
	LOUISVILLE	KY	TRUCK ONLY	689	
	MAYFIELD	KY	TRUCK ONLY	242	
009	COLUMBIA	SC	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
010	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
011	BATTLE CREEK	MI	TRUCK ONLY	454	
	FLINT	MI	TRUCK ONLY	761	
	LANSING	MI	TRUCK ONLY	405	
012	ELMIRA	MI	TRUCK ONLY	3,240	
013	BATTLE CREEK	MI	TRUCK ONLY	405	
	ELMIRA	MI	TRUCK ONLY	810	
	FLINT	MI	TRUCK ONLY	405	
014	AKRON	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	

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015	FAIRFIELD	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
016	OKLAHOMA CITY	OK	TRUCK ONLY	972	_____
	TULSA	OK	TRUCK ONLY	648	_____
017	AUSTIN	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
018	HOUSTON	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
019	LUBBOCK	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
020	COLORADO SPRING	CO	TRUCK ONLY	589	_____
	DENVER	CO	TRUCK ONLY	1,031	_____
021	DENVER	CO	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
022	COLORADO SPRING	CO	TRUCK ONLY	529	_____
	GREELEY	CO	TRUCK ONLY	625	_____
	PUEBLO	CO	TRUCK ONLY	466	_____
023	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
024	KANSAS CITY	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
025	LOS ANGELES/FAS (Hawaii)	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
026	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____

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027	BOSTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
028	HAUPPAUGE	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	**
029	MILLWOOD	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	**
030	SYRACUSE	NY		1,620	**
031	SALEM	VA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
032	CHARLESTON	WV		3,240	
033	JACKSON	MS	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
034	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
035	AKRON	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
036	GALLUP	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
037	SALT LAKE CITY	UT	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
038	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
039	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
040	SAN DIEGO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
041	PORTLAND	OR	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	

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042	LATHAM	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	***
043	SYRACUSE	NY		1,620	***
044	RICHMOND	VA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
045	BIRMINGHAM	AL	TRUCK ONLY	737	
	MONTGOMERY	AL	TRUCK ONLY	883	
046	BIRMINGHAM	AL	TRUCK ONLY	436	
	HUNTSVILLE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	604	
	THEODORE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	580	
047	LOUISVILLE	KY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
048	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
049	AKRON	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
050	COLUMBUS	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
051	FAIRFIELD	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
052	YOUNGSTOWN	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
053	OKLAHOMA CITY	OK	TRUCK ONLY	972	
	TULSA	OK	TRUCK ONLY	648	
054	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
055	BRIDGETON	MO	TRUCK ONLY	943	
	CAPE GIRARDEAU	MO	TRUCK ONLY	677	

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056	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/08 - 11/30/08					
057	BLOOMFIELD	CT	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
058	SYRACUSE	NY		1,620	_____ **
059	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
060	CLEVELAND	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
061	FORT WORTH	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
062	COLUMBIA	MO	TRUCK ONLY	831	_____
	KANSAS CITY	MO	TRUCK ONLY	439	_____
	ST JOSEPH	MO	TRUCK ONLY	350	_____
063	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
064	MODESTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	765	_____
	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	855	_____
065	PORTLAND	OR	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____

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066	EAST SYRACUSE	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____ **
067	SYRACUSE	NY		1,620	_____ **
068	JACKSONVILLE/FAS (Puerto Rico)	FL	TRUCK ONLY	4,860	_____
069	EDGEWOOD	KY	TRUCK ONLY	200	_____
	LEXINGTON	KY	TRUCK ONLY	1,020	_____
	PRESTONSBURG	KY	TRUCK ONLY	400	_____
070	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
071	COLUMBUS	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
072	FAIRFIELD	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
073	OKLAHOMA CITY	OK	TRUCK ONLY	972	_____
	TULSA	OK	TRUCK ONLY	648	_____
074	AUSTIN	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
075	HOUSTON	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
076	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
077	KANSAS CITY	MO	TRUCK ONLY	805	_____
	SPRINGFIELD	MO	TRUCK ONLY	815	_____
078	KANSAS CITY	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
079	SEATTLE WHSE (Alaska)	WA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____

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080	EAST HAVEN	CT	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
081	CONCORD	NH	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
082	SYRACUSE	NY		1,620	**
083	JACKSONVILLE/FAS (Puerto Rico)	FL	TRUCK ONLY	4,860	
084	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
085	BATON ROUGE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
086	NEW ORLEANS	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
087	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
088	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
089	BRIDGETON	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,217	
	SPRINGFIELD	MO	TRUCK ONLY	403	
090	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
091	PORTLAND	OR	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 158,760

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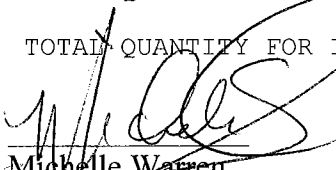
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092	SYRACUSE	NY		1,620	_____**
093	DALLAS	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
094	KANSAS CITY	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
095	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/16/08 - 10/31/08					
096	BRONX	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____**
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/01/08 - 11/15/08					
097	SYRACUSE	NY		1,620	_____**
098	ALBUQUERQUE	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
099	HOUSTON	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
100	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/08 - 11/30/08					
101	BRONX	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____**
102	BATON ROUGE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
103	DELHI	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____

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104	SYRACUSE	NY		3,240	**
105	COMSTOCK PARK	MI	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
106	DALLAS	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
107	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
108	MILLS	WY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
109	PORTLAND	OR	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/08 - 12/31/08					
110	BRONX	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	**
111	BATON ROUGE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	3,240	
112	DELHI	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 37,260

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 196,020


 Michelle Warren
 Contracting Officer

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